

MUNICIPAL CHARTERS

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**CHEVY CHASE**

(Montgomery County)

**Resolution No. 98-005**

SUBJECT: Amendments to Article II, Section 205 of the Town Charter, entitled "Officers of the council".

WHEREAS, Article II, Section 205(a) of the Town Charter authorizes the Town Council to elect one of its members to act as the mayor; and

WHEREAS, the Town Council has historically permitted council members to be elected to consecutive one (1) year terms as mayor; and

WHEREAS, although the Town Council and the town have benefited in the past in permitting a council member to serve consecutive one (1) year terms as mayor, the Town Council now believes that the Town Council and the Town will be better served by limiting the number of consecutive terms a council member may serve as mayor.

[Section 205 of Article II of the Charter of the Town of Chevy Chase, Montgomery County, as found in the Public Local Laws of Maryland - Compilation of Municipal Charters (1990 Replacement Edition and 1998 Supplement), repealed and reenacted, with amendments.

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**SECTION 3 OF THE VILLAGE OF CHEVY CHASE**

(Montgomery County)

**Resolution 1999-1R  
Charter Amendment**

The purpose of the change in the charter is to allow the Council to lower the property tax from the currently mandated \$.10 per \$100 assessed valuation. The current tax rate is \$.18 per \$100 assessed valuation. Were the Council to entertain a dramatic lowering or abolition of the tax, the Charter currently does not permit this action. By changing the wording, the Council would have the freedom to lower your property tax below \$.10 per \$100 assessed valuation. A CHARTER AMENDMENT TO DELETE THE REQUIREMENT THAT THE SECTION 3 REAL PROPERTY TAX RATE SHALL NOT BE LESS THAN TEN CENTS PER ONE HUNDRED DOLLARS OF ASSESSED VALUATION

[Section 701 of the Charter of the Village of Chevy Chase, Section 3, Montgomery County, as found in the Public Local Laws of Maryland - Compilation of Municipal Charters (1990 Replacement Edition and 1998 Supplement), repealed and reenacted, with amendments.